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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20554

Federal Communications Commission
Office of Secretary

Re:

Notice of Permitted Ex Parte Presentation, 2002 Biennial Regulatory

Review—Review of the Commission's Broadcast Ownership Rules,

MB Docket No. 02-277

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, I hereby submit this notice of a permitted ex parte presentation in the above-referenced proceeding. On May 9, 2003, Richard E. Wiley and James R. Bayes of Wiley Rein & Fielding LLP and the undersigned met with Catherine Crutcher Bohigian, legal advisor to Commissioner Martin, to discuss why the need for regulatory relief from local television ownership restrictions is most acute in mid-sized and smaller markets and to express views consistent with those detailed in the Comments and Reply Comments filed by Gray Television, Inc. in this docket.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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